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Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- Petition for Withdrawal of Holding of Abandonment; (2)
- Copy of Stamped Filing Receipt indicating filing of Request for Continued Examination on September 10, 2004;
- Copy of Request for Continued Examination as filed; (4)
- Copy of Amendment under 37 CFR 1.114 as filed; and (5)
- Copy of Check No. 21701 in the amount of \$770.00 for (6) the RCE as filed.

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> Respectfully submitted, NATH & ASSOCIATES PLLC

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PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL OF HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.181(a)

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the Notice Abandonment, mailed October 21, 2004 in this matter, be withdrawn for the reason that Applicants filed a timely Request for Continued Examination dated September 10, 2004, and thus the application is not in fact abandoned.

Under MPEP \$711.03(c), Applicants are advised that this Petition does not require a fee. The Commissioner is hereby specifically authorized to charge any required fee, or credit any overpayment, in connection with this matter to deposit Account No. 14-0112.

GROUNDS FOR PETITION

This Petition relates to a Notice of Abandonment mailed October 21, 2004, for the alleged failure to pay the issue fee and publication fee in this matter. Applicants in fact filed a Request for Continued Examination and an Amendment under 37 CFR 1.114 in lieu of payment of the issue fee, on September 10, 2004, the due date for payment of the issue fee.

Applicants attach the following evidence of filing to establish that a Request for Continued Examination ("Request") was filed: a copy of the stamped filing receipt that properly identifies the Request as well as the Amendment under 37 CFR 1.114; a true and correct copy of the Request as filed; a true and correct copy of the Amendment under 37 CFR 1.114 as filed; and a copy the front of Counsel's canceled check no. 21701 for the \$770.00 Request fee related to the filing, which provide prima facie evidence that the Response was timely filed.

Under MPEP \$711.03(c), when a Response (in this case, the Request and Amendment) is shown to have been timely filed based on a stamped filing receipt, the Response should be entered into PALM using the original date of receipt of the Response as shown on the stamped filing receipt. Applicants respectfully request entry of the Request for Continued Examination as of the original filing date of September 10, 2004.

The undersigned is the attorney for Applicants in this matter, and has personal knowledge of the facts stated herein relating to the authenticity of documents. The Examiner is welcomed to

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telephone the undersigned attorney if she/he has any questions or comments.

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